ALBANY-DECATUR DAILY

DEVOTED TO THE INTERESTS AND UPBUILDING OF ALBANY-DECATUR, ALABAMA

WEATHER FORECAST (Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18-Alabama: Fair and colder tonight. Light frost in southern portion. Tuesday fair. Colder in southeast portion. Gentle to moderate northwest and west winds.

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REGISTRATION BOOKS OPENED AT COURTHOUSE COTTON INTERESTS Sale Of 'Cigs' To Minors Is Banned CHIZEN FROM ANY

Jones And Hendrix Go To Capitol To Hearing

LOCAL COTTON CIR-CLES WATCHING They Believe Decision Will Have Bearing On the Future

Business circles in these cities today watched intently the proceedings of the Interstate Commerce commission representatives at Montgomery as a hearing is held regarding the petition of large cotton interests, reported to be in the Carolinas and Georgia, asking that regulations permitting the shipment of cotton past compressing points be adopted. John W. Jones and Clyde Hendrix, promiattending the hearing, believing that held up until an early hour this M. E. church, South, it is announced the decision of the commission will have a vital bearing on a large am- in an effort to open the main line ount of local business.

that particular point. This custom the wreck it was stated by workmen. has been in effect for a number of years and it is believed that the large been done by the wreck, though remove business from the hands of had run through the bridge and that leaders of the church to have been smaller compressors in various points east of the Mississippi river. It was Some damage was done to a section The new spirit among churchmen in shown that in case the commission of crossties, just off the draw span all denominations, characterized by decides in favor of the petition of cot- of the bridge. ton interests that Albany-Decatur Crews were placed on the work just significant. Fostering the Alabama business will be out from the handling as soon as reports were made to the conference are the General Board of of approximately 50,000 to 75,000 bales to a figure estimated at between 10,000 and 15,000 bales.

Cotton interests, it is understood, are asking that they be allowed to ship "flat," shipping the bales as they come from the gin.

The stand of the railroads is not understood locally, it not being known just what position they are taking. The railroads pay the expense for compressing, except in the case of high density compression, it was explained.

Granting of the petition in favor of cotton interests will prove a severe blow to the smaller cotton interests of the South, it is believed, Albany-Decatur being largely effected by the loss of thousands of dollars in trading each year.

(Associated Press)

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Jan. 18 .-Alleging that the cotton markets and the cotton concentration centers of Alabama would be disrupted and that a great loss will be suffered by Alabama, cotton buyers. commercial organizations and the state of Alabama Monday began a fight against the proposal of the Atlantic Cotton Association and others for the promulgation of new rules and regulations and new rates for the transportation and concentration of cotton in the South.

The hearing began before Examiners Cassady and Worthington, of the interstate commerce commission here today. The state contended that a serious economic loss to Alabama would be suffered by the success of the Atlantic interests, filed an intervenor in the name of the attorney general. Harwell G. Davis and Hugh White, special assistant attorney general appeared in behalf of the state.

The chambers of commerce of Montgomery, Birmingham, Mobile and Dothan were represented by their traffic managers, respectively: M M. Caskie, C. E. Jones, B. G. Tobbs and Ed M. Weatherly, while other commercial organizations are represented through the appearance of these traffic managers. Mr. Caskie also represents the Alabama Bureau Farm Federation.

MANY HURT, TROLLEYS CRASH

(Associated Press) NEW YORK, Jan. 18 .- Thirty-four persons were injured today in a collision between two Brooklyn Manhattan trains on the Williamsburg bridge on a heavy fog. Twenty of these were removed to a hospital.

L. & N. Freight Piles Regional Conference In Up At Early Hour Sunday

LITTLE DAMAGE THOUGHT DONE

The Wreck Is Cleared Local Churches Plan To By Morning As Crews Toil

Wreckage was cleared this morning along the Southern Railway men from over Alabama are expected bridge following a Louisville and to attend in Birmingham, Feb. 3-4. Nashville freight wreck Sunday night, one of the sixteen great regional connent business men of these cities are reported at 7:30 o'clock. Trains were morning as crews worked feverishly by officials of the church. With sesof both the Louisville and Nashville of Birmingham, the Alabama conven-It is understood that the laws now and Southern roads. The dropping tion will have among its outstanding in effect provide that baled cotton of a brake beam, causing one of the leaders two eminent laymen from cannot be shipped past a compressing cars to partially leave the track was England and Bishop W. B. Beaupoint without being compressed at thought to have been the cause for champ, of the Southern Methodist

Little damage is thought to have erhood Federation. cotton interests are attempting to re- ports were prevalent that a freight cars had dropped below to the waters, under way for more than two years

> offices and continued clearing the tracks until two o'clock this morning. Trains were held up during that time, but a regular schedule was in effect this morning.

It was stated that the Southern repair work on the bridge will be completed about March 1. Men are still busy working around the piers and making all necessary repairs.

Reward Is Paid To Albany Officers

A Hudson coach, reported missing Sunday morning early from in front of the Alabama and the North Alaof the Decatur cafe was recovered bama Conference which i sthe largest near Flint, where it apparently had in the M. E. Church, South. been abandoned, and Patrolman Mitchell and McCall today were \$25 richer as a result of the recovery. route home from Florida.

SOUTHERN BRIDGE TO ATTEND MEETING

Birmingham Highly Important

WORLD NOTED MEN TO SPEAK

Send Visitors To The Meeting

Several thousand Method'st layferences on brotherhood and stewardsions at the First Methodist church church, president of the World Broth-

Plans for the wide program laymen's conferences are said such movements, is regarded as most Lay Activities, and the Methodist

Laymen's club of Birmingham. The English laymen to address the meeting are William Ward of London formerly president of the World Brotherhood Federation and Sir Richard Winfrey, member of Parliament, and an outstanding publisher and churchman of the British Isles.

It is hoped by those in charge of the regional conference in Birmingham Feb. 3-4 that in addition to sending the pro rata share of lay delegates, organizations of the church such as brotherhood classes or missionary societies will insure attendance of the pastors of all churches

BANKS TO CLOSE

Banks in Albany-Decatur will be The reward was paid by Glenn closed Tuesday, January 19 in observ-Maughner of Indianapolis, Ind., who, ance of the birth anniversary of Genwith a companion, was said to be en- eral Robert E. Lee, it was announc-

John Hertz-His Sign Blaming Automobiles More Pay for Good Men Granddaughters Visit.

By ARTHUR BRISBANE. (Copyright, 1925, By The Star Co.) For Albany-Decatur Daily.

RICH Americans send their dollars off of Europe with their daughters little knowing how those dollars or daughters will come back.

Sometimes dollars stay and daughters come back with a divorce and experiences. Sometimes daughter and dollars stay, and the next generation returns to surprise the man that made the dollars.

OLD LEVI LEITER of Chicago whose money established the fortune of Lord Curzon in England, would be surprised to meet his granddaughter, Lady Cynthia Mosley. Behold she comes to the United States for a visit, speaking an English of which old Leiter would understand not one word, and she is a socialist, spending the Leiter money to get into parliament on

the labor ticket. Can't you imagine Levi Leiter turning in his grave like an electric fan?"

THE railroad trainmen, hundreds of thousands of faithful workers, ask for better pay and ought to get

Railroads, protected by government, enjoy prosperity steadily increasing. They should divide prosperity with the men that do the work, through the nights in cold and rain, when those that collect dividends are asleep.

All Americans, especially business men and money makers, should demand that good workmen their fair share of national prosperity.

The rich man can get only his share of what the average man has

GOVERNMENT figures that from 1920 to 1924, "Automobiles killed 60,876 men, women and children."

Calculated to give the false and damaging impression that the automobile in itself is a dangerous. deadly demon, these figures are not true to fact.

OF THE sixty-odd thousand killed in five years some were the vic-

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Queen in U.S.



Former Queen Elizabeth of Greece intends to make her future home in Florida with her husband, George, who was deposed as ruler.

'Christmas Party" Has Fatal Aftermath at Birmingham

(Associated Press)

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Jan. 18-Authorities today started inquiry into the death of Miss Jewell Cross, of Falkner, Miss., who died yesterday from stab wounds, inflicted by an undentified person during a Christmas party. R. C. Cross, father of the young woman, was at his daughter's bedside for several days before her death. Detectives said she steadfastly refused to divulge the name of her assailant to them and her parents.

The young woman came here from Falkner in October last, and secured employment, her father said. The actack upon the girl took place at a house on Seventeenth street north, where she was attending a Christmas party with friends. She was removed to the Hillman hospital where she was later questioned by detectives. To her father she revealed some of the details of the case, but the name of her assailant was never made known.

Police were sifting the evidence before them in an effort to learn the identity of that person. Miss Cross lived with the family of Mrs. J. C. Lawrence, 4112 1-2 Twenty First street North.

Mrs. Stockton Is

Mrs. J. I. Stockton died Sunday morning at 10:50 o'clock at her home in Curtis Wells, Moulton pike section. Funeral services will be conducted Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence by Rev. W. T. Cobb, of Hartselle, assisted by Rev. C. K. Parker of Danville, and Rev J. D. Prater of Albany. Imbearers will be: W. N. Norwood, F. J. Long, J. T. Robinson, T. J. Wear, G. M. Russell and E. M. Bussey.

Interment will be made in the famlly burial grounds, Brown directing. Mrs. Stockton is survived by her husband, Rev. J. I. Stockton; one son, J M. Stockton, of Albany, and five daughters, Mrs. Lissie Bryant, of Albany; Mrs. Lavania Woodruff, of Albany; Mrs. Jimmie Simpson, of Barksdale, S. C.; Mrs. Bonnie Ryan, Mars Hill, N. C.

active Christian worker and her ex- ests. ample was an inspiration to all who

IN NORTH ALABAMA

Safes Being Equipped Sheriff Poole Urges The With Devices To Prevent Looting

SEEK TO PREVENT BANDIT OUTBREAK

Attention To Safety Appliances

Yeggs who seek to enter the safes in banking and mercantile establishments in North Alabama henceforth may discover robbery of these safes is no easy matter.

Poison gas now has been installed as part of the safety equipment of a number of North Alabama banks, while business houses are following the lead and by the end of the year it is likely that most of the larger safes in this section will have safety devices in addition to the steel doors

The poison gas method is said to be a simple, but effective method to prevent robbery of the safe. The gas is stored within the safe itself, and when entrance is forced quantities of the gas are released as sections of the safe are penetrated. The gas, it is said, would be fatal to anyone remaining within the immediate vicinity of the safe.

see Valley bank, at Scottsboro, when an acetylene torch was used, it is beldieved to cut throughthe steel door of the safe, has focused the attention of many business men on the matter of making their safes safe. Several institutions have been equipped with burglar alarms and bankers were declared to be resorting to all kind of ingenuous schemes to prevent an outbreak of looting in North Alabama

Bible Class Sees Many Old Faces

Members of the Y. M. C. A. Bible Class today spoke of the large attendance had at the regular weekly meeting Sunday morning at the Y. M. C. A. Numbers of members who ered by Reverend Noble R. Edwards. Rev. Edwards, teacher, took as his subject, 'Noah." The attendance was the largest this year, it was stated.

ENFORCED LOCALLY

Public To Help In Enforcement SELLERS WILL

FACE PENALTY

Recent Robbery Calls School Authorities To Aid, Students Said To Be Victims

> Sa'es of cigarettes to minors in Morgan County must cease, or the sellers will be prosecuted.

Warning to this effect was given today by Sheriff Ernest Poole, who declared he was in receipt of complaints from school authorities that sales of eiggies to persons under 21 years of age are becoming so numerous that cigarette addicts are numbered among the school children of the county.

The complaints further stated that some students find it difficult to go through the school day without their 'smoke" so strong has the habit become with them.

Sheriff Poole pointed out that the state laws contain provisions against the sale of cigarettes to minors and he declared his intention of doing all within his power to enforce the ruling. It was understood also that The recent robbery of the Tennesment of the provisions.

Sheriff Poole expressed the hope that dealers handling cigarettes would lend their co-operation to the authorities, making their task less difficult in preventing sales of cigarettes to minors, and aiding in stamping out a practice which apparently has become widespread.

Rainfall Reaches 1.83 Inches Here

Rainfall which is declared to have een general over the Tennessee Valey, reached 1.83 inches here, according to Mrs. A. H. Irons, government observer today. Mrs. Irons reported that the river stood at six feet, rishave been absent for a time return- | Saturday and Sunday was at a maximum of 55 degrees and 48 minimum. The rainfall, starting Saturday and continuing throughout Sunday was one of the heaviest on record for these cities at this period of the year.

Norris Proposal Again Is Opposed

Called To Reward North Carolina Delegates Urge Congress To Permit More Dams On Tennessee

> (Associated Press) WASHINGTON, Jan. 18-The senate agricultural committee was urged today by representatives of civic boimmediate license of water power de-

> velopment on the Tennessee river and

its tributaries. Delegations appeared in opposition

to a resolution offered by Chairman Norris, which would prohibit the federal power commission from issuing permits to develop power projects on the Tennessee river and its tributaries until congress had adopted Muscle Shoals policy.

Marcus W. Brown, of Asheville told the committee that postponement of development of the Tennessee river would retard industrial development of Somerville; Mrs. Alice Lawton, of in North Carolina and Tennessee. He declared that delay "would do infi-Mrs. Stockton was beloved by many nitely more harm to the community friends in this and neighboring coun- than higher prices for power that ties. During her lifetime she was an might be charged by private inter-

> Senator Norris declared he introduced the resolution because he was

opposed to turning over great natural resources to private interests for their private gains and that he believed cheaper power could be obdies of North Carolina to sanction tained in the southeast by development of the Tennessee river now is produced in Canada.

Mr. Brown said he believed passage of the resolution would deprive the community of the immediate need of power, instead of giving them. cheaper power. He said the army engineers had issued the preliminary permits and that the power companies had started a survey with the promise in good faith, of producing

immediate power. Senator Norris suggested that the resolution be amended so that it would not apply after this session of congress, which, he said, he believed would settle the Muscle Shoals question. Mr. Miller said it would be neisfactory to him and the others of the delegation, if the resolution was amended, for there would be no delay

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IN TEN DAYS HERE

Officials Express Hope Full Advantage Will Be Taken

MANY ELECTIONS SET THIS YEAR

Young People Register Now, Can Vote In November

The registration board of Morgan County went into session this morning at the courthouse here, and the registration books will remain open at this point for a period of ten days. During this time the board will register prospective voters from any beat in the county.

Officials expressed the hope that full advantage will be taken of the opportunity by citizens who have not yet qualified themselves to cast a ballot in Morgan County.

For the young people it was pointed out that anyone reaching the age of 21 years by the time of the November elections can register , now and vote this falt. If persons becoming 21 before that time fail to qualify they will have no further opportunity to register, and therefore will be unable to vote regardless of the age or polls payment.

It was pointed out also that world war veterans are not faced with the necessity of paying poll tax, but are required to register and afterward to present their honorable discharge to the probate court in order to fully qualify themselves to cast their bal

During the current year Alabams citizens will vote in several elections of paramount importance and it is believed that registration during the ten-day period here will be heavy.

PASTORS' UNION NAMES OFFICERS

Rev. E. Floyd Olive To Be President Of Organization

Members of the Pastors' Union Monday morning elected officials for the ensuing year, elevating Rev. E. Floyd Olive, pastor of the Southskie Baptist church to the presidency of the union, succeeding Rev. J. T. L'ston, Rev. A. N. Penland, pastor of the Willoughby Presbyterian church was elected vice president and C. J. Randolph, was re-elected secretary.

The program committee was name as follows: Rev. C. C. Davison, Rev R. T. Tyler and Rev. J. D. Wallace The Union endorsed the Kiwanis club's corelated charity plan, which was presented by Secretary Randolph and endorsed also the enlargement plan for the BenBevolent hospital.

Ganna Repeats Her Explanation

(Associated Press)

CHICAGO, Jan. 18-The Chicago Herald and Examiner today received a radiogram from Ganna Walska Me-Cormick, repeating the explanation of her husband, Harold F. McCormick as to why he did not accompany her to Europe.

"Private important reason forbid Mr. McCormick sailing Saturday, but s sailing next week' read the message from the liner, from which Mr. McCormick had his luggage removed a few moments before the steamer sailed from New York.

> MERGER EFFECTIVE (Associated Press)

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Jan. 18-Merger of the Ban Air Coal and Iron company, with the Chattanooga Gas company and the J. J. Gray Jr. properties of Rockdale, became effective



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aking her way alone in the is summoned into the pres-f Gordon, her employer, to that an unknown man has orn her a cool million to spend anna, had a car taken so long to anna, had a car taken so long to go wherever it was headed for. Yet, really, the chausteur threaded traffic skilfully. Joanna's excitement to men who is giving the when the realized that her driver was in ling his arm to ease her to sett, "You will not be asked to the parament, with the arched that her content to the parament, with the arched that her driver was in ling his arm to ease her to the parament, with the arched that her driver was in ling his arm to ease her to the parament. information, she is sent to er Eggleston where the money

CHAPTER II. (Continued) "What did she say? How did take it? Did she-that-ison have to say? That your sales erk is coming down to get a mil-

cap. When she would have looked fairles had not danced in Joanna's at her letter to find the address, soul. There was laughter there, he interrupted: at her letter to find the address,

Never before, it seemed to Jo-

to her questions. Still un in front of her A doorman re-to understand this overwhelm sponded is a sign from the driver. There was a low word between The doorman touched his them.

cap.
"I sm o take you to Mr. Eggleston's rooms, Miss," he said, with a deference which Joanna recognized at once. Eggleston, she understood was the man she was to The utter drama of it all apwell, damn it, man! Is that all palled her again. She looked into there, a gleam of understanding that, after all, she was a just a Degleston's chief reputation in glory, whose ornaments, airs and



She felt uncomfortable. The back of her neck burnea us if some

financial marts was for his tras- | fashlons were only gaudy imita cible temper. He floundered dread- tions of the fancied vogue of smart fully before the futility of splut ering into a telephone. But Grayson would not humor him,

"Her emotions at the moment my friend; hardly are of much consequence. At any rate, I fancy she yourself."

The banker sought suitable fidentially: grases with which to express his irritation at his friend's reserve. Ing except that I was to bring you even in this bank, for new accounts here to old Eggleston's bank. But this I'll tell you, too, if you take million dollars. It is not an inconseceiver abruptly. Also he relieved it from me my boss and your boss sequential sum for—for any one."

in the embrasure of a window a pretty kid like you, watch your across the room, laughed softly step girlle; watch your step! And "The adventure begins to interest maybe you'd better give me your number so I can call you up when you!" this man remarked. "I hope. I'm on duty after ten. You're the or your sake, it becomes worth kind that looks too good to be

reply. He turned to the papers on brought her back to a realization

Brandon, the man in the window, resumed his inspection of the panorama of the street outside. An observer, studying his face, would be a confidence in the world.

All the confidence in the world and classified them none too pleas

same analytica, observer ould have said of Eggieston, ar biter of many of the world's most important affairs that he was a in the great, marble corridors of the banking institution, one of the women had been a useless orna-

ner dazed numbness quickened

a fantasy. For a brief five minutes in Mr. Graydon's office and when she decided that such a display would be premature. By this time she was at the street entrance. The first test had come.

The "Old Man" had told her to ask Manners, rich beyond dreams, sud in the documentary which had donly appropriate and looked at the street shall be documentary for his car which had donly appropriate and looked at the street and

"I know where, Miss! Mr. Gray-

don gave instructions. It's to the

The "Old Man's" chauffeur dropwill not have recovered from them ped his tingers from his cap and, by the time she reaches the bank. In the face of this rearrangement of caste at its proper level, immediately unbent to "Miss Twenty-seven of the silks." He spoke con-

"I'll tell you, Miss I know nothhimself of a well rounded, sonor is o. k., but if he's sending you in to see his grouchy pal Eggleston, there's somethin doing And when there's somethin doin over

true." Perhaps nothing else could have Eggleston glared at the younger so completely restored the equa nan sharply but deigned him no nimity of Joanna. Somehow it of her fitness to meet and conquer all things—either her boss's chant-

have traced on it the spectres of clustered under the shimmering cynicism and would have concluded that they stamped him as bob as she followed the obsequious one who harbored the conviction doorman into the marbled vastness that he knew all sorts of women of the metropolitan bank and up to the door that bore the legend, "An drew Eggleston."

CHAPTER III.

principal hubs around which the when Joanna was out of the presence of Graydon and the quiet effectiveness of his secretary, a quietness and an efficiency that both depressed and fascinated her both depressed and fascinated her, pretenses, all her struggles to imsuddenly into a feverish excitement. That she had become a shoet in some fantastic masquerade, the was sure. But the thrill of it made her pulses leap. She that depressed her while she sat, are shaped for the sure of the salk counter. press the world as one who had wanted to rush to the silk counter and confide her amazing mystery to her chums there; even to confront "Mr. Good Morning," with a pose that would achieve its climax with the bank under his ness. Then she decided that such a pose that would ness. Then she decided that such a pose that would ness. Then she decided that such a pose that would ness. Then she decided that such a pose that would ness. Then she decided that such a pose that would ness that depressed her while she sat, waiting, in the "Old Man's" office a few hours before. In her hand bags of women. With elaborate pains he opened the back, bent back the crease in the sheaf of blank checks which it contained, and, thus spread out, he shoved it toward Joanna's hand. From his pocket he took his own gold fountain pen, opened it and held it out to her the doorman for his car which, he had said, would be waiting for her at the curb. She decided to try it. To her amazement the doorman, resplendent in his conglomerate livery, seemed to expect her. A wave of his hand brought the limitable to the space opposite where the waited. The "Old Man's" chauseur descended and held open the door. As she approached him her eyes widened, he touched his of Barrie. But of later years the limitable to the space widened, he touched his of Barrie. But of later years the limitable to the space opposite where can be spaced of her fairles in her own imagination, peopled her dreams with them after the fashion of Barrie. But of later years the limitable to the space opposite where tained some of her fairles in her own imagination, peopled her dreams with them after the fashion of Barrie. But of later years the limitable to the space opposite where tained some of her fairles in her own imagination, peopled her dreams with them after the fashion of Barrie. But of later years the limitable to the space opposite where tained some of her fairles in her own imagination, peopled her dreams with them after the fashion of Barrie. But of later years the limitable to the space opposite where tained some of her fairles in her own imagination, peopled her dreams with them after the fashion of Barrie. But of later years the limitation amount you like I will have the money brought you"

Joanna looked at the untamiliar the banker of the door. As she approached him the people of the door where the mother and father passed and the look of the period of the provided period of the door where the matter of fact, material. Once, no doubt, she had believed in fairies. A lit. I heard that expression and it is at the curb with the way of the work of the word of the period of doorman for his car which, he denly announced protege of some in he eating? It seems that I have

illusions.

So Joanna, convinced against her wits that something tremend was happening to her, corned her self for admitting such a possibility She wanted to catch her guide, the liveried attendant, by the sleeve and force him to give her an accounting of his obsequiousness to her. But panie was not far from her weariness. Her breath began to come in tremulous gasps when the panelled door marked with the name of the great man she bad been told would receive her, awang inward. She heard her guide an nounce her:

"The lady you are expecting,

sitting at a great black table; someone who rose and glared at without speaking; someone who was very forbidding, and, to the eyes of youth, very old and incapable of understanding any thoughts or emotions such as she might experience. In such a presence Joanna didn't know what to The man spoke her name. Surprisingly, just as it had been

with Graydon, these pompous im-

didn't rasp. "Will you sit here?"
He pointed to a chair opposite him. Joanna, wholly helpless again, slid into the chair. After awhile she realized that the man of whom she food heard so much as one of those mysterious money kings, still looked at her; that he had leaned back to his own chair and was just looking at her with queer lights play ug to his eyes and something about his lips that, sure ly! This old man's lips were quivering! It struck Jounna as scream-ingly funny Not even the warnng hand of do in could have pre vented her just then, from laugh-ing. Andrew Eggleston smiled, too. But it was a fleeting smile. He was instantly grave and forbid-ding. And Joanna was frightened again. She felt uncomfortable. The back of her neck burned, as if someone were looking at it, or at

her She wanted to turn around, but merely moved in her chair. The young man who still stood In the window embrasure at the other end of the room prepared to come forward. When he saw that ence he fell again to his stient in spection of the figure in the chair "Tell me," she pleaded, start played again about his mouth Ocling the stiff formalities of the driver of her employer's private other figure, the old fleets of ships and as some people often said, the policies of nations It was Joanna who at last broke

the fraught silence. they said?"

"It was a untural desire." Eg r boss in take million dollars. It is not an inconr boss sequential sum for—for any one."

Joanna couldn't stand it any
leston, longer. "Won't you please give it
And to me straight?" she pleaded, earn estly, sitting forward in her chair so that her hands might rest on the big table. "Please!" she repeated, "I was all right when I got up this merning and everybody else was all right and there was never anybody in my amily that went to the asylum. And there's nobody 1 ever knew who could leave me million pennies let alone dollars ex cept an uncle and he couldn't be cause I had to dig up two dollars a week for a year to pay the in stallments on his funeral. And I want to get back to my lob or old Good Morning— I mean the depart-ment manager, will be as sore as clustered under the shimmering a billygoat—I mean he'll be angry gold brown of her ultra-modish Please, Mr. Eggleston what's it al Please, Mr. Eggleston, what's it all

Strangely, the girl's frantic plea differently Exclusion needed his head quite as whe agreed that something should be done to clear up the freuzy of doubts and con-fusion that must be doubing the shop girl's mind, and he smiled again, pleasantly, as if warmed by some inner satisfaction But the smile that had been about the mouth of the other man, whose presence Joanna had not yet de-tected, suddenly vanished. He re-garded the back of the girl's neck, his gaze seeming to reach around and encompass her, with a new sort of interest. Still there was

The banker reached into his table drawer and brought out a folded check book, the daintier kind that

it, and held it out to her.

Isn't there a homely saying that
runs something. like this?." he
said: "The proof of the pudding is

For Mrs. Terry CALL EXTENDED Funeral Services

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at two o'clock at the Central Baptist church for Mrs. Paul M. Terry, who died Friday at the hos- Crawford pital following an operation. The services were conducted by Rev. W. P. Reeves, postor of the Central Baptist charch, of which Mrs. Terry had been an active member for many years, and interment was made Roselawn cemetery. Pallbearers were: C. E. Malone, T. E. Williams, Harry Wyatt, J. D. Thomas, John Flowers, J. P. Matlock and Henry

Mrs. Terry had a host of friends in the Twin Cities and her death was profound shock-to them.

Senators Discuss

(Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, aJn. 18-Limitation of debate on the world court question was discussed today among senators, but with little indication of an immediate move in that direction.

Senator Swanson, Vrginia, leader of the democratic court forces, said it must be developed that the opposition intended to filibuster before any definite proposal for cloture was made. Chairman Borah, of the foreign relations committee, leader of

Addresses Presbyterians On Sunday Night

Reverend David M. Ausmus, Nashville, Tenn., has been extended a call by the congregation of the Westminster Presbyterian church, it was aunounced today, following a congregational meeting held Sunday, Reverend J. Russell Crawford, Athens, addressed the congregation in the services Sunday evening in a forcefui and interesting manner.

The call extended Reverend Ausmus, it was indicated, will take effect about February 1st, provided Cloture Adoption; the minister makes known his acceptance of the pastorate. He will succeed Rev. L. F. Goodwin who left here some months ago for Florida.

Presbyterians today expressed the hope that the Tennessean will accept the posit'on.

Pratt Company Buys Ore Land

(Associated Press) BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Jan. 18 .- It

was announced here this afternoon the opposition said he had little idea that the Pratt Fuel corporation had that there would be a move to limit purchased from the Alabama Products corporation mineral lands and

mine properties in Walker county, valued at \$1,500,000. Included in the transaction were 1300 acres of mineral lands at Dora, which gives the purchaser 40,000 acres of land in

Walker county. The Pratt company now owns 19

miles of Warrior river frontage.

Norris Proposal Again Is Opposed

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in the continuance of the proposed development.

Mayor John Cappey of Asheville, declared that Muscle Shoals was like the poor. "It will be with us all the time. Muscle Shoals will never be settled as long as it is in politics," he

He declared that life of the communities depended on power and it was no much the question of the cost as they must have it if industria! operations are to be continued.

Julius C. Martin, attorney for the Pigeon River Power company, declared the company had spent \$350,-000 for the purchase of land with the view of going through with the power development which they planned to do without interruption if the resolution did not pass.

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12 Years Ago From the Daily of January 18, 1014 TODAY

January 18 falling on Sunday, there was no issue of The Daily on that date.

The Salvation Army's slogan: "A man may be down but never out," evidently was adopted before the presentday hootch standard became what it is.

Perhaps one reason so few newspaper men are bankers. the former class never could permit accumulation of undivided profits.

Taxation without representation may be tyranny, but taxation without the means to pay causes a visit to the

He who believes that the whole scheme of life is wrong usually finds consolation in the belief that he is different from other people and really cannot be as bad as they. He must enjoy fooling himself.

Valentino and Grange are indignant at some of the newspaper stories published about them, yet had the newspapers refrained from publishing news of these two scintillants, it is probable that the former wou'd be engaged in spaghetti production, and certain that the latter would still be packing ice.

To ask a merchant to place a confidence in your ability to pay, should first cause you to place a confidence in the product the merchant has to offer. Do not look upon him as one who's sole aim it is to present you with high prices. He is human and he is fair, else he would not remain in business.

The Alabama Brick & Tile company joins the list of industries located here which are adopting expansion programs. The company reports a sound business back ground for the past year and looks forward to a greater of war a nation does not halt to wait for the last word in future. Such expression is voiced by every manufacturer, machine perfection, that nation goes to work to equip its every business man, every citizen of the Tennessee

end of the year 1925 than at any previous year since 1920. That is only more reason why they will join as a class with the townspeople in an effort to place the Ttnnessee Valley ahead in everything under the shining sun, from the leading agricultural section to a leadership in industrial lines as well. The farming and business team is one which cannot be downed, once it gets underway, setting hands to constructiveness.

THE SIXTH ANNIVERSARY OF A GREAT EDICT

Saturday, the nation observed the sixth anniversary of the birth of prohibition and at the same time commemorated in a way the death of misery and ignorance. Reading the dispatches of the Associated Press it was refreshing to watch the faces of people, some seeing the advantages of the law against whiskey, others reading where there had been an increase in crime statistics and laid it to the door of prohibition.

There is nothing that people may say that will cause a belief that crime has increased through the enactment of prohibition laws. The theory is reasoned in a circle and is unanswerable, but nevertheless entirely without foundation. It is to be considered that the increase in crime is due to a great extent to the employment of thousands of men and women solely for detecting crime. It is likewise a crime this day and time to take a drink of whiskey, whereas in the days before prohibition a man could stagger along the streets and so long as he did not engage in an outrageous brawl, break windows, or beat his wife, he was considered a peaceful and law-abiding citizen. The prohibition laws cannot be given as cause for an increase in crime, as a matter of fact it is difficult to believe that as the department is given money to work with and unless crime has increased so steadily as it is pictured. There must be taken into consideration the ratio of population, as compared with population of twenty years ago, there must likewise be considered the agencies for telling the story of crime, the increase in the number of newspapers

whose men go through the day in search for crime news. If you are to criticise prohibition why not give the law a fair trial? Place its assets by the side of its liabilities and then give your answer to the justness and the worth of the law. Misery and want, ignorance, have passed into a past era with the coming of prohibition amendment. Schools and churches are now crowded, bank deposits are running high, people who never before enjoyed luxuries now are able to do something beside work from morning until night, to go home to a miserable tenement where only an increased misery confronted them in the ery of children for bread. Sanitation is another lesson that prohibition has had much to, do with the teaching. You read of an outbreak of disease and the next day you read of means and ways adopted for checking the spread. this of course cannot be credited to prohibitioin entirely any more than can it be said that prohibition is responsible for the crime wave, but we do believe that prohibition

Of course measures will be adopted for making the law state of Alabama,

more effective, people and progress are one and the same, time will tell the story of increased surveillance on the part of a better managed and equipped force, a force that will enforce the law in the real sense of the word where law enforcement is necessary.

As the sixth anniversary of prohibition enactment passes, we cannot help but pause and thank those in their 'arsightness for the passage of the measure. Drastic, it seems to a great many Americans, they, however, are inf the minority. The prohibition laws are here to stay, the laws stand on the record that has been built from the days following the war until the present. The nation is prosperous, the nation is becoming educated, the nation is sensible, the crime wave is the only flaw that can be picked and that cannot be laid upon the enforcement of mandates against whiskey. We are thankful for the passage of the act and we feel that we are speaking for a majority of the American people.

for re-publication of all news dispatches credited to it or GOVERNOR BRANDON DISAPPOINTS PEOPLE OF NORTHERN SECTION

Governor William W. Brandon has chosen an evident dilatory stand with his refusal to call the legislature into session. Governor Brandon has not stated that he will not call the legislative bodies to arms during the coming year, but this first move to us looks like the death knell of the good roads and educational issues in Alabama, so far as an expansion of state facilities are taken into consideration. We are sorry that the governor has chosen a "thumbs down" method.

From some angles we have heard that the governor has made a wise political move, from the majority we hear that the governor has made the first step toward halting progress in road building.

It seems to be the opinion in some sectors that to bring he vote upon a \$75,000,000 at this time will mean the certain defeat of the issue and a distinct blow at good roads. This opinion is based on hearsay to the effect that the present road administration has not come up to the needs of the people and has not been conducted in a manner benefitting the great state which it represents. Now there may be truth in the belief that a good roads issue will be voted down by the people of Alabama, but we do not feel that such action will ever be recorded, no matter what or who is connected with the administration. People of Alabama recognize their own needs and they do not need to be told to cast a vote for good roads, they will vote for better roads just as naturally as they arise in he mornings and eat their breakfast.

Regarding the latter opinion, that the governor has alted legislation on road and educational needs, we beieve this line of reasoning to be sound. In the northern area people have come to believe that a bond issue is rot a measure for discussion, it is regarded as a necessity They have ceased apparently to listen to the cries from other sections of the state over a lack of adequate highway transportation facility, for they see the work that the commission has done in this section. We can point to out a single main truck highway at this time that is not! included in the 1926 program, the highway leading to Decatur from Huntsville, entering the Bee Line at the Athens crossroads. The Moulton road, the Bee Line highway, the Courtland roadway, the Shoals highway from Athens to the Tri-Cities are either in good repair, offer-'ng splendid facilities, or are included in a construction program that is to be started at once. It is probable that! the commission has overlooked the value of paved highway over the chert surface, but this, we believe, comes only with years of service. The chert highway is like unto a war measure, it is a necessity that transportation might not be halted, the paved highway to follow later. Here is a matter that is a benefit to the later paving idea, the road has had time to settle, bridges are already "in," fills are settled and there will be no cracking of the paved surrace men in the best way possible for the time being, later to fill in where trouble appears and where the old system has proved inadequate. The chert surfacing, while we Farmers are declared to be in better condition at the are not in accord with the plan at all for the maintenance problem is one which is never solved, costing the state hundreds of thousands of dollars, is imperative, it must be placed to take care of the present, there can be no further waiting, hence the department gives the people the very best that it can in the short time allotted to take care of the state's needs.

> It may be true of South and central Alabama that the commission has not given a great deal of thought to road building in those sections, and it may not be true, yet we recognize sufficient reason for the commission devoting time and money to North Alabama. This section of the state for a great many years lay dormant with a lack of road facilities, Alabama was criticised from on end of the nation to the other for her lack of road facilities. A great deal of this poor advertising came to the state through the failure to provide a good road system in this section-Albany-Decatur today stands as the "Gateway to Alabama" with the work on the half million dollar bridge going steadily forward and with the Bee Line highway open from the Tennessee state line to past the Cullman sector. Really we find very little to beef at the state highway department for and for placing additional funds with the commission we are pleased to mark "yes" on the ballot, provided Governor Brandon does not see fit longer to hold

> The Tennessee Valley has not been given paved roads, we would like to see them running as ribbons over the face of our fertile limits, but the Valley is gaining rapidly in road prominence and with the aid given the state by county departments, building trade tributaries into the main line highways, we are well satisfied with the progress and feel that there is more in sight just so soon money is provided the work must halt. The cure, it seems, will be worse than the disease, some roads are better than no roads at all.

> We are not talking of the highway department in the future for the organization of that body will depend entirely upon the man who succeeds Brandon, we are speaking of the need of today and to save us we can find no defense for the governor in his refusal to call the legislature into session, particularly when the people of Alabama are entering the greatest year ever to be written in Alabama history. Brandon may reconsider, we feel that he will not, then the state can determine whether roads and schools will be aided or whether we are to slide down the state thermometer of prosperity that has proved so

hard and difficult a task to climb. The life of a state revolves about the road system. Marketing problems are solved with the advent of goodroads, schools are aided materially with children in the rural sections given a chance at educational facilities, the pleasure of the middle and upper strata of peoples is effected, tourist travel is encouraged, the state is advertised to the extent that its name and its road system are allied. Do you think that the people of Alabama will-say no to a has played its vital part in raising America to the front bond issue of so much importance, we hardly see that such action will ever be spread upon the voting records of the

REDUCE DENTAL BILLS BY PROPER COOKING

It Is a Crime Against the Body to Throw Away Fluid in Which Meats and Vegetables Have Been Cooked.

> By ROYAL S. COPELAND, M. D. United States Senator from New York. Former Commissioner of Health, New Yor! City.

N interesting letter came to me a few days ago. A reader complains of the dental bills ne has to pay. He believes the members of his family have bad teeth because of the lack of lime in their food. It is not the expense that wor-ries him, but the unwillingness of the family to adopt a more sensible dictary in order that they may have better health.

There is no doubt the quality of food has much

to do with the strength and vigor of the body. There is a serious fault in the modern dishes. Too many of them are denatured. The minerals and vitamins are removed and the body is robbed of elements of vital importance.
I read a funny editorial the other day. It joked

me about one of my articles and joked Judge Gary, whom I had quoted. We had talked about the 'juices" in which vegetables are cooked. Our critic said we should use terms the public understands. What we meant, he said, was "pot likker."

Yes, that is what we meant-potthe valuable mingrals of the food. It in the modern bakery. One way and should never be thrown away. At another milk should be consumed in tables should be uncovered so the steam cho escape. leaving the preclous minerals in the foed. Likewise, the meat gravy should be served so as to save the minerals.

Housewives should tabe pains to are essential. The envelope of the

likker. It is a crime against the raisins are added it becomes one of body to throw it away. The fluid in the best possible dishes.

Which the ment and vegetables are cooked contains all the caluble salts. I am glad it is being added to bread

Illousewives should take pains to serve creats with the outer coverings on, or should be been in the ings on, or should be induced in the cereal in order that the mineral elements of the grain will be included in the dish.

Lipolished rice is a valuable fixed, white bighty polished rice is little more than a confection. Sirved with top milk or errors, the unpolished rice is a very likelihood that bones and teeth, top milk or errors, the unpolished rice is a very inventant food. When repeats 1225 m Keyspaper Feature Struct. Inc.

BY ARTHUR BRISBAND

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tims of stupid, reckless or drunken drivers, some of incompetents. The greater number killed were victims of their own carelessness commonly described as 'jay-walk-

When a man on the railroad track is killed, nobody blames the locomo tive or suggests suppressing railroads. The signs read "stop, look and listen," and "keep off the

"City streets and country highways are now in fact railroad tracks Public convenience, happiness and comfort demand all possible encouragement of the automobile industry. Not a few, but tens of millions now ride in automobiles every day.

IT is therefore a crime to misrepresent the situation, discourage the automobile industry, blaming the individual careful driver for the carelessness and stupidity of "Jay-Walkers," The automobile industry is the greatest blessing of the human race.

JOHN HERTZ, who bosses the Yellow taxicabs and omnibuses all over the world, is determined to make his drivers polite and gentle, even if it hurts.

On the back of each Chicago taxi you see the sign, 'If I break any traffic rule please report me."

This is almost overdoing it, and is only equaled by a sign that humorous Americans used to wear on each good old fashioned New Year's day, "when I am drunk, please send me home."

IRVING BERLIN and his young wife, on board ship send to the wide world this information, by wireless, "we have nothing to add to our only authorized statement in New York-that we are supremely happy"

That's good; perhaps it would be as well to let it go at that and let the world drift back to normal. Two things you notice, first, that 'personages" deplore rude publicity forced upon them by newspapers. Second, that when the newspapers desist, "personages' are apt to do the forcing.

ALABAMA GOVERNORS

(Associated Press)

William Wyatt Bibb, Governor of Alabama territory and first governor of the State of Alabama. Appointed governor of the Territory and entered upon his duties in April, 1817, and elected first governor of the State under Constitution of 1819. Born in Amelia county, Virginia, October 2, 1781 and died at Coosada, Autauga county, this State, July 10, 1820, and is there buried. Graduate of Medical department of University of Pennsylvania, located for practice at Petersburg, Ga. Member Georgia state Senate and house of Representatives;

elected to Ninth United States congress to serve unexpired term of Thomas Spaulding; re-elected tenththirteenth congress, January 26, 1806-November 6, 1813, when he resigned; elected United States Senator to serve unexpired term of William H. Crawford, served November 6, 1813-November 9, 1816, when he resigned. Married Mary, daughter of Colonel Holman Freeman, Wilkes county, Georgia.-Alabama State Department of Archives and History.

No Meeting Tonight

On account of the condition of the building, there will be no meeting tonight of Albany Lodge No. 491.

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SOCIAL CALENDAR

St. John's Woman's Auxiliary. 2:30 p. m. Mrs. Thomas Hodson. Circle Number One of the First Presbyterian Woman's Auxiliary with Mrs. J. N. Gibson as hostess.

Circle Number One C. M. E. Mis Eranum joint hostesses at the home sionary Mrs. Morris Ford. and Mrs. of Mrs. Ford.

Tuesday Afternoon Bridge Club. Mrs. R. H. Wo'cott.

Ruthalian Club. Mrs. T. A. Cadd ell.

Berean Club. Mrs. Lester Sheffiel d and Mrs. J. D. Sharp joint hostessess at the Sheffield home.

Married Ladies Bridge Club, Mrs. E. S. Morrow. THURSDAY

Thursday Club, Mrs. Ernest Morr ow. Thursday Bridge Club. Mrs. Spencer Garnett, Silk Stocking Club. Mrs. T. M. Jo nes, Jr.

Friday Thirteen. Mrs. E. S. Mor row. Canal Street Rook Club, Mrs. A. P erolio

EASTERN STAR ENJOY SOCIAL

The Mary Lou Dancy Chapter No. 320 O. E. S. was hostess at a social gathering at their hall on Banl street on Friday evening and their guests were members of the Mizpah hapter and members of the Hartselle Chapter.

After the opening exercises by the officials of the hostess Chapter that visitors were introduced. Initiation of two candidates was conducted by the Past Worthy Matrons and the Past Worthy Patrons of the three chapter esented.

A number responded to calls fo short talks, Mrs. R. E. Hewlett gave very appropriate reading in a beau tiful and impressive manner. A tok-en of remembrances was then presented to Mrs. Pfaff of the Mizpal Chapter who has been recently mad Frand Ada of the Grand Chapter o

At the close of the meeting those present were ushered into the dining room which was decorated in pin and white. Delicious salad, ice crean and cake was served and these car ried out the same color motif. The tables were centered with bowls o pink and white flowers and pink can dles in silver holders. The Grand Worthy Patron and the Grand Wor thy Matrons were especially honored at a prettily appointed table.

JUNIOR MUSIC STUDY CLUB

There was a regular meetle the Junior Music Stuay Club held Saturday afternoon when Miss Jose phine Ford was hostess at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morri Ford on Johnston street.

It was announced that the Alabam: Federation of Music Study Club would be held in April in Selma and they would give a medal at this time for the girl that played the best. Sev eral members of the local club expect to compete. The rules and pur poses of the contest and the rules for the judges were read with the prize that would be given.

They were then entertained with program when Misses Frances Dins more and Josephine Ford played piano duet. Miss Elkins Himes gav a pianologue accompanied by no sister, Miss Frances Himes. 'A Mid summer night's Dream" was rendered on the piano by Miss Mary Battle Hendrix and Miss Mary Jones player 'The March of the Dwarfs.'

At the conclusion of these the hos tess served a delectable salad course

----Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Hampton are at home at the Hotel Hilda.

Mrs. Campbell is ill with pneumo nia at the home of her granddaughter Mrs. C. L. Saunders.

James Benton Hatchett of Greenville, Miss., has returned there after a weeks visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hatchett.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hatchett spent Sunday with relatives in Nashville Tenn.

Henry Zeitler of Mooresville is the

guest of relatives here Monday. Eugene Rakey is at home for the

weekend. Mrs. White has returned to Hunt: ville after an extended visit to her

son, J. C. White and Mrs. White.

taken an apartment on Johnston street.

Mount Hope visited relatives in Albany the past weekend.

Mrs. J. A. Counts is improving af- them .- Advt. ter an attack of flu.

Miss Mildred Cotton of Huntsville has returned to her home after a visit | tion to our friends for their kindness

Dan Simrell a student of Freed- and to Mrs. Burr and members of the Hardeman College at Henderson, choir. Tenn, is spending a few days at | Paul M. Terry and family, home with his parents,

MONDAY

TUESDAY

Progressive Culture clab 8 p. m. a t the home of Mrs. G. D. Williamsen WEDN ESDAY

SPEND THE DAY PARTY

Mrs. A. T. Hanson entertained the Women of the First Baptist church of Decatur at a spend the day party on Thursday at her home on East

The day was spent sewing for the orphanage at Troy and at noon Mrs. Hanson served a very delicious two ourse luncheon assisted by Mrs. A. J Harris and Mrs. E. J. Polhill.

---ROOK PARTY ON FRIDAY

Mrs. J. H. McMath will be a Rook nostess of Friday and her guest list vill include members of the Ferry Street Rook Club.

MORGAN COUNTY W. M. U. MEETING

Program for the Morgan County W M. U. will begin prompt'y at ten o'clock at the Falkville Baptist church it was announced today. No principal speaker has been obtained for the occasion. Plans will be made for the ear. Leaders asked that a large attendance from each society be present on Tuesday.

Hartwell Davis spent Sunday with his sister, Miss Laura Davis in Ath-

Rev. and Mrs. W. T. Tyler have eturned from Huntsville, where they attended the funeral of his brotha, law the late Mr. Pittman.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dix and family have moved from 610 Line street to 304 Line street.

Mrs. John Allison Harris of Leighton spent the weekend with her sister, Mrs. W. F. Boswell.

Mizpah Chapter No. 19 O. E. S. will meet at the Masonic hall on Tuesday at 7:30 p. m.

---Mrs, C. L. Sartor and son, William of Montgomery arrived on Sunday to be the guests of her mother, Mrs. L. W. Warner for a month.

---Mr. and Mrs. Brown Mahon, of Greenville, S. C., will be the guests ext week of her sister, Miss Rosa Cartwright en route home after atending the Coleman-Cunard wedding n Birmingham on Saturday.

----Mrs. B. F. Martin continues ill.

Rev. C. C. Davison is still confined to his home with illness .

Judge T. W. Wert left at noon on Monday for Montgomery to attend he supreme court which convenes there today.

W. J. Edwards of Auburn, Ala., and P. J. Edwards of Atlanta, Ga., are visiting relatives for a few days.

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CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express our appreciato her cousin, Miss Margaret Simrell during our recent bereavement, for the beautiful florals, the use of cars

H. B. Cagle and family.

Florida Again Leads In Fatality Total In Whole South

(Associated Press)

ATLANTA. Ga., Jan. 18-Forty four persons were killed and 240 injored in traff'c accidents in eleven Southern states during the week which closed last night, it was shown by a survey made early today by the

Associated Press. The character of accidents covered in the survey rere those by antomobile, motorcycie, train and trolley. There were no outstanding accidents during the week.

Florida with 12 killed, took first place, North Carolina fo'lowing with seven and Arkansas was the only state reporting no accident. Florida also led in the number injured with 40, Georgia following a close second with 39, South Carolina reporting three killed had the lowest number in that column. Alabama reported five kil'ed and 13 injured.

household goods culckly and cheaply. I sample,

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fend Hatch, of Florence, a daughter, on January 18th. Mrs. Hatch has many friends in the Twin Cities who will remember

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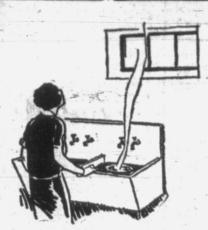
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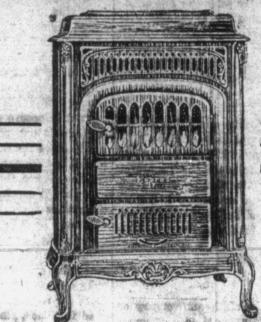
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(Paid political advertising authorized by B. E. Isbell, Falkville, Ala.)

We are authorized to announce Asa M. Lentz as a candidate for Sheriff of Morgan County, Ala., subject to the action of the democratic primary, Aug. 10th, 1926. (Paid political advertising, authoriz-

ed by Asa M. Lentz, Decatur, Ala). We are hereby authorized to an nounce B. E. Davis as a candidate for theriff of Morgan County, Alabama, subject to the action of the democra-

tic primary August 10, 1926.

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We are hereby authorized to announce John E. McEachin as a candidate for Circuit Solicitor of the Eighth Judicial Circuit, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, August 10th, 1926.

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We are hereby authorized to ancounce W. H. Day as a candidate for the office of tax collector of Morgan county, subject to the action of the Cemocratic primary, August 10, 1926 (Paid political advertising authorised by W. H. Day, Albany, Ala.)

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to denature the dance has ended in of it now rather as dangerous." There are worse things than the failure, declares Dr. W. H. Phelps, dance, the writer adds, and assert editor of the Michigan Christian Adthat the "night automobile undoubt vocate, official Methodist Episcopal edly is luring more girls to immoraliorgan for the Detroit area. ty than the dance ever did, and that "Henry Ford has put the world on is saying a good deal."

Phelps Assails the Modern Dance As

MONDAY, JANUARY 18, 1926

S DEAD OUT IN

wheels but to teach the world to dance decently is a giant's task," asserts Dr. Phelps. "We wish he could do it, but our faith is admittedly small. Nevertheless he may be right. Our cocksureness about the dance is gone but our old convictions have not faded an iota. "

(Associated Press)

DETROIT, Jan. 15-Every effort

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TROUBLE, MAC ?

"We no longer think of the dance as wicked, as we once did, but think

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WAS WEALTHY

Dr. Phelps maintains that "an evil by-product is the use of the cance to finance the athletic department of the school which makes nonparticipants appear as slackers and brings in outsiders that leave little cash and frequently a lot of smut be-

FAWN TRAPPED BY FEDERAL DRY CREW BOOZE, SHE AVERS MAY BE ENLARGED

Wedding of the Dancer Administrator For The Followed "Party." Miss Gray Says

(Associated Press) BALTIMORE, Md., Jan. 18-Fawn Gray, dancer, filed suit for anullment of marriage to Theodore MacFarland, Philadelphia newspaper man, today. The papers were placed on record by her attorney, J. Charles Fagan, who said the dancer was expected here within a month for the taking of testimony.

The annullment papers give the dancer's real name as Gladys Marie Brown, daughter of a New York car toonist, her age as 20, and that o MacFarland as 27/ The marriage it is stated, took place two months age after a party, beginning in Philadeiphia and ending in New York.

The papers allege that all mem bers of the party were under the in fluence of liquor when the ceremony as performed.

Miss Gray states she had no recollection of the ceremony and asks annullment on the grounds of fraud misrepresentation and deceit.

Miss Gray, several months ago wor the favor of Harry K. Thaw, during one of his visits to New York. Wher she took a bouquet of roses to Evelyn Nesbitt Thaw, she was turned away from the door of her Chicago J. L. Solomon Dies hospital room.

Hearings Planned On Volstead Law

(Associated Press) WASHINGTON, Jan. 18-The urofficial house committee for modification of the Volstead act, headed by Representative Hill, republican of Maryland, today issued an appea signed by 56 house members urging other members to join in an attempt to liberalize the law at this congress

The committee proposes to hold public hearings to consider suggestions for 'proper liberalization" before agreeing on a bill for modifica-

State of Alabama, Morgan County W. T. Murphree

A. J. Key Before J. M. Minor, a justice of the peace for said county. Before me, J. M. Minor, Justice of the peace .this the 5th day of December, came the plaintiff in the above entitled cause, and it appearing that certain propreyty of the said defendant has been levied upon,to-wit: Two boxes of household goods, by virtue of an attachment issued from my office returnable the 5th day of December, 1925, which cause has been continued to January 28th, 1926, and that said defendant is a non-resident of this state, and resides at Wingate, Texas it is therefore ordered that said notice of attachment and the return thereof be given to the said A. J. Key by publication once a week for three successive weeks before the said 28th day of January, in the newspaper published in said county and a copy thereof mailed to the said defendant at his place of residence when known.

Given under my hand this the 4th day of January, 1926.

J. M. MINOR
Justice of the Peace Jan. 4-11-18.

Tenth District To Visit Birmingham

The prohibition force of the United States government in the northern district of Alabama may be enlarged as result . . the visit to to Pirmingham why of D. D. Jackson, administrator for the tenth division of the prohibition department.

"Mr. Jackson will make a general survey of this district during his stay," said S. O. McPherson, deputy administrator for the district. "and I will lay before him the needs of ny territory for an increased force. We will also discuss general plans or enforcing the federal prohibition aw, and the best method of cooperaing with with local and state auhorities."

At present the state has about two prohibition enforcement agents in every district to the federal government's one man, and it is felt that close cooperation between the two departments would obtain more effective and economical enforcement of the eighteen amendment. Mr. McPherson was in Montgomery the first of the week discussing plans with state officials.

At Sheffield, Ala.

Funeral services were held today it 10 o'clock at Sheffield, Ala., for I. L. Solomon, aged about 45 years, who passed away Sunday morning at three o'clock after an illness of little ess than a week. Mr. Solomon, who was well known locally, died following an attack of pneumonia.

J. J. Solomon and G. F. Solomon. brothers of the deceased went to Sheffield upon the receipt of the sad

The deceased is survived by his wife and six children; three brothers: J. J. Solomon, G. F. Solomon, Albany Decatur and T. C. Solomon of Birm ngham. Three sisters: Mrs. J. A. Carter, Mrs. J. W. Stubblefield and Mrs. Henry Guschke all of these ci-

Mr. Solomon had been employed with the Standard Oil company for the past 19 years and was well known and highly respected both in these and the Tri-Cities.

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A CHANCE TO SPEND

On last Friday evening the ladies of the Westside Presbyterian church intertained the men and boys of that church who are organizing a Scout troop. The ladies had an evening of fun planned for the boys and deucious refreshments were enjoyed by all who attended. Scout Executive Qu'an was present and gave the boys more information regarding the work of a well organized troop. Members of Troop 29 with their Scoutmaster were also guests on the occasion.

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Annual Financial Report of the

Morgan County Board

For the Year 1925. GENERAL FUNDS-RECEIPTS:

Balance from last year \$ 38.06 State Apportionment ______56,017,28 Revolving Fund 4,214.66 Slater Fund (for Morgan County Training School) 500.00 County One and Three Mill Tax...... 65,034.17 Lawrence County Line Schools..... 84.60 Marshall County Line Schools.....

Local Funds (Falkville) 900.00 Total.. ..\$135,903.77

DISBURSEMENTS: Cities of Albany, Decatur and Hartselle.....\$ 37,477.71

Salary of Supt., Assistant, and office expense.... 4,437.50 Salary of Vocational Teacher (Falkville) 600.00 High School Appropriation

Bonds and Interest 7,000.00 5,880.00 Insurance on School Buildings..... 2,247.22 1,624.25

> Total \$139,137.67 Deficit..... 3,233.90

SPECIAL DISTRICT TAX-RECEIPTS:

Balance from last year.....\$ 392.29
Tax collected\$ 23,414.83 \$ 23,807.12

DISBURSEMENTS:

Salaries for extension of school term......\$ 15,984.80 Paid on bonds and interest for new buildings..... 7,921.91 Transportation
Miscellaneous bills 200.00 Total \$ 23,806.34

Balance Respectfully submitted,

E. L. HAYS,

County Superintendent Education.

HIKE IS THOROUGHLY ENIOYED BY SCOUTS

Five Local Troops Go To Woods For a Day's Outing

The best hike of the season was held Saturday when scouts from the five troops of Albany-Decatur, with the Scout executive, made their way to the woods east of the Twin Cities.

The morning was used in passing tests. The noon hour, which was a very bury one, was given over to cooking, every boy cooking his own med. A good part of the afternoon went for games in which all boys took part, the remainder of the afternoon was taken up in making souvenirs and useful articles out of wood.

Troop 20 led in number of boys on hike having ten members present but was followed closely by the other four troops. These hikes will be made every two weeks until the weather will permit the carrying out of the overnight hikes and other hikes and camps planned for the Scouts and Scout leaders of this district of the Tennessee Valley Council.

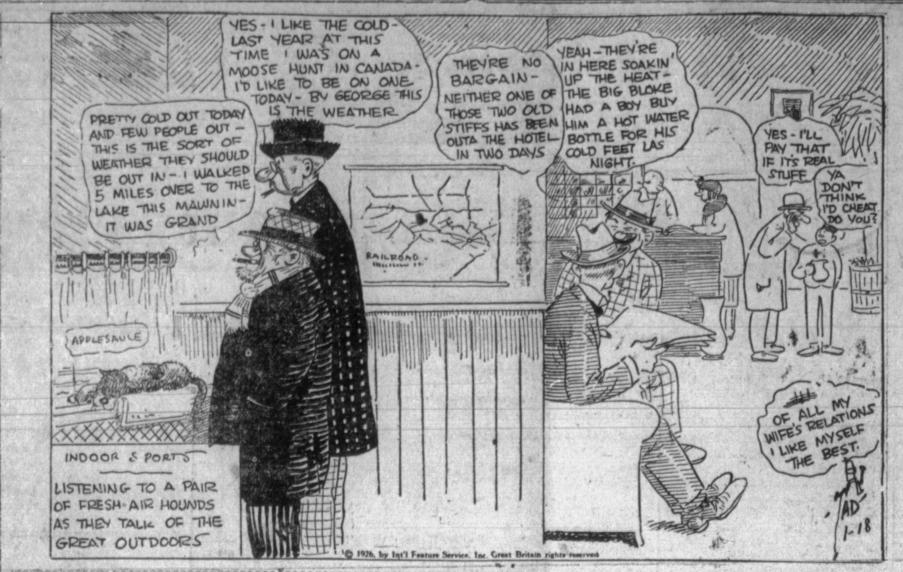
FOUR KILLED WHEN CAR GOES IN RIVER

Recovered From The Ohio

(Associated Press) PITTSBURGH, Pa. Jan. 18-The death toll resulting from the fall of a street car from a bridge into the Ohio river here, last night, was increased to four today, with the recovcry of the body of Gilbert J. Schell,

conductor of the ill-fated trolley. The body was found in the river short distance from the scene of the acc'dent Twenty two were injurd, several seriously.

Miss Agnes Johnson, 23, was the mly other of the known victims to wn, her body having been found tating ir the river soon after the rush. The two others, Mrs. Rebecca Mek, 60 and her granddaughter, Marian Signet, seven, succumbed to injuries at a hospital.



Columbia Heads East Basketeers

(Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Jan. 18-Columbia th victories over Princeton, Dartnouth and Cornell, leads the eastern inter-collegiate basketball league with Additional Body Today three wins and no defeats, Dartmouth and Yale are tied for second with two victories in three starts. Cornell with one defeat and Yale with three setbacks in as many starts

bring up the foot of the procession. Laub, Columbia forward, leads the league in the matter of individual scoring, with 14 field goals and five accurate tosses from the free throw ine for a total of 33 points, one point ahead of Loeb, of Princeton, who has scored 32. Manneheim of Columbia, and Whittaker of Dartmouth, are tied for third place with 23 points.

Columbia has shown great scoring powers in three games, having totaled 107 points to 62 by their oppo-

Contract has been let by the Amercan Trust and Savings bank at Birmingham for the construction of an annex to the banking rooms of the diately, it is announced

Time Nears For Talk Of Baseball Loop For Cities; Local Fans See Good Prospect

their talk of a baseball league to be established through the Valley section this year. A four or six league circuit seems to be the verdict rendered by the majority of cracker box add'cts. Local followers of the diamond see an excellent prospect for a Valley

It is suggested by some that a Valley circuit be composed of Albany-Decatur, Athens, the Tri-Cities, Huntsville in a four team circuit, adding Hartselle and Cullman in the six team affair. If travelling expenses do not prove too high it is suggested that Anniston and Gadsden be considered in the Valley circuit.

Providing the powers that be get for North Alabama the necessity for year might be determined.

. As the wintry weeks wear on the organization at the present time is het stove artists gather momentum in indicated. It is no small job to organize and get a team in motion before the coming of the spring and summer months, A manager will have to be provided, after the league is formed and the charter obtained in organized baseball. The manager will have his hands full in weeding out the would be ball tossers from those who are circuit, believing that the expense of able to canter over the green swarf travelling into other states has been in lively fashion. It's a tremendous one of the failing points in the past, job and action will be necessary at

The smaller towns in the proposed circuit have shown a willingness to support baseball teams, while in the Twin Cities every effort has been met with failure. The matter should be thrashed out thoroughly before any organization is perfected. Citizens undoubtedly will have to be interested in a financial and a moral institution. Work will start imme- together and push a diamond circuit | way in order that the success of the

Michigan Tops Big Ten Outfits

(Associated Press)

CHICAGO, Jan. 18-Michigan remains the only undefeated team in the big ten basketball race at the end of the third week of competition, with victories to its credit over Iowa and Northwestern.

Wisconsin, Iowa, Uhio State Purdue went into a tie or the runner up berth with two games won and one lost apiece. Illinois, the last of the conference teams to go into action, trounced Minnesota 17 t. S last Monday, but was in turn humbled by Ohio State, 30 to, 18, Saturday.

Purdue, following a snappy tory over Ohio State Wednesday, repeated Saturday at the expense of Northwestern in what was perhaps the fasetest and hardest fought game of the week. The score was 38 to 35 and the game was saved for the Boilermakers in the last two seconds of play with a long shot from the field by Capt. George Spradling.

Chicago went into the 50-50 divison by upsetting the dope and forcing the undefeated Wisconsin five to take the short end of a 17 to 15 tally last

TULANE STAR GIVEN AWARD OF TROPHY

Flournoy So Affected He Is Unable To Respond

(Associated Press)

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 18-Five awards embiematic of special recognit on for athletic prowess were made to as many individuals and teams at the twentieth annual banquet of the veteran athletes of Philadelphia.

The Joseph H. Jolley trophy for supremacy among eastern football teams of 1925 was awarded to Dartmouth.

The veteran athletes' trophy went to Charles P. Flourney, of Tulane, as the most valuable foctball player of last season. . Flournoy was so affected he was unable to respond. Dr. A. B. Dinwindle, professor of Tulane, spoke for him.

University of Pennsylvania all-American end and captain of the 1926 football team, George C. Thayer, received a special memorial cup in reccognition of his last season's deeds on the field. This was the John A. Fisher trophy.

Edward Swinebourne, representing Georgetown university's champion two-mile relay, comprising Swinebourne, Wm. R. Sullivan, George Marsters and John C. Holder was awarded the Samuel E. Shull trophy.

The John Patterson trophy, emblematic of American college supremacy in springtime, went to Frank V. Hussey, representing Boston college.

The speakers, who included Senator Pepper, and Murray Hulbert, president of the A. A. U., paid tribute to the memory of Andy Smith, late head coach of the University of California football team.

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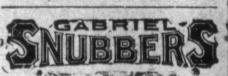
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and eczema—gives you back your appetite—builds firm, plump flesh and fills you full of new life and energy. All drug stores sell S. S. S. Get the larger bottle. It's more economical



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